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LETTER REGARDING PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT

The Patent Term Adjustment (PTA) calculation included in the notice of allowance mailed December 3, 2008, for the above-referenced application indicates the PTA is 201 days. This PTA appears to be longer than appropriate.

In good faith and candor, Applicants direct the Office's attention to the filing of a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement on November 11, 2008.

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Respectfully submitted,

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